

2014 KY Public Library Calendar ~ Quick Reference ~ Dates are accurate as of 12/3/2013

Check online for updates: <http://kdla.ky.gov/librarians/plssd/Pages/KYPubLibCalendar.aspx>

January ~ National Braille Literacy Month / National Mentoring Month

- 1 New Year's Day Holiday – KDLA Closed
- 20 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Observed – KDLA Closed
- 24-28 ALA Midwinter Meeting ~ Philadelphia, PA
- 31 **Annual Summations for Regions 5 and 6**

February ~ Library Lovers' Month / Black History Month

- 5 Digital Learning Day
- 17 Presidents' Day Observed
- 17-19 Nat'l. Conference on Family Literacy ~ Washington, D.C.
- 26 **E-rate Form 470 due**

March ~ Small Press Month / Women's History Month

- McConnell Youth Literature Conference ~ **[On hiatus in 2014]**
- 3 NEA's Read Across America Day
- 5 KY Library Legislative Day Orientation ~ Frankfort, KY
- 6 KY Library Legislative Day ~ Frankfort, KY
- 9-15 Teen Tech Week – DIY @ your library
- 11-14 Public Library Assoc. 2014 Conference ~ Indianapolis, IN
- 15 Training for SPGE Form 101 (Financial Disclosure Report) at Area Development Districts in Kentucky.
- 16 Freedom of Information Day
- 17-21 Kentucky Literacy Celebration Week
- 26 **E-rate Form 471 due**

April ~ National Poetry Month / School Library Month / National Financial Literacy Month

- 5-12 Money Smart Week @ your library
- 7-9 Computers in Libraries, 2014 ~ Washington, DC
- 9-11 KPLA/KLTRT Annual Conference ~ Bowling Green, KY
- 9-11 KLA Academic/Special Libraries Conf. ~ General Butler SRP
- 12 Drop Everything and Read Day!

April ~ Continued

- 13-19 National Library Week: Lives change @ your library
- 15 Training for SPGE Form 101 (Financial Disclosure Report) at Area Development Districts in Kentucky.
- 15 National Library Workers' Day
- 16 National Bookmobile Day
- 17 Celebrate Teen Literature Day
- 18 Good Friday – KDLA closed ½ day
- 25-26 Southern KY Book Fest ~ Bowling Green, KY
- 22 Earth Day Kentucky
- 23 World Book Night
- 27-May 3 Preservation Week: Pass It On
- 30 El Día de los Niños / El Día de los Libros
- 30 **Annual Summations for Regions 7 and 8**

May ~ Get Caught Reading Month / Asian/Pacific American Heritage Month

- 1 **Send UFIR to the Dept. for Local Government (DLG) and provide a copy to the County Clerk**
- Apr. 27-May 3 Preservation Week: Pass It On
- 1 May Day
- 1-5 NASIG Annual Conference ~ Ft. Worth, TX
- 1-7 Choose Privacy Week
- 3 Kentucky Derby
- 5-6 National Legislative Day ~ Washington, DC
- 9-12 International Reading Assoc. Conference ~ New Orleans, LA
- 12-18 Children's Book Week
- 15 Training for SPGE Form 101 (Financial Disclosure Report) at Area Development Districts in Kentucky.
- 26 Memorial Day Holiday Observed – KDLA Closed
- 28-30 OVGTSL Conference: Local Talent, Global Impact ~ Ohio University, Athens, OH

June ~ Audiobook Month / National Safety Month

- 15 Training for SPGE Form 101 (Financial Disclosure Report) at Area Development Districts in Kentucky.
- 16-18 Ready Kids Conference ~ The Galt House, Louisville, KY
- 26 – July 1: ALA Annual Conference: Transforming our Libraries, Ourselves ~ Las Vegas, NV
- 30 **SPGE Budgets must be passed**
- 30 **A financial statement and Audits or Attestation Engagements for FY 2012-2013 due to DLG**

July ~ Read an Almanac Month

- July 1 – Sept. 15 ~ **Within 45 days of Certification, present the Property Tax Rate Certification in writing and in person and at a Fiscal Court meeting, and a written copy to-the County Clerk and to KDLA**
- 4 Independence Day – KDLA Closed
- 15 **2014-2015 Budgets due to DLG; registration fee is due**
- 31 **Annual Summations for Regions 1 and 2**

August ~ National Inventors Month / American Artist Appreciation Month

- 8 SWON PictureBook Read-In [Projected]
- 27 **Annual Report and Audit due to KDLA**
- 30 **Publish location of adopted budget, financial statements, and most recent audit available for public examination.**

September ~ National Literacy Month / National Hispanic American Month – Sept. 15 – Oct. 15 / KY Archives Month / Library Card Signup Month

- 1 Labor Day Holiday Observed – KDLA Closed
- 4-6 ARSL Annual Conference ~ Tacoma, WA
- 8 International Literacy Day
- 11 Patriot Day
- 17 Constitution and Citizenship Day
- 17-20 KLA/KASL Conference ~ The Galt House, Louisville, KY
- 20-21 National Book Festival ~ Washington, DC [Projected]

September ~ Continued

- 21-27 Banned Books Week [Projected]
- 24 Banned Websites Awareness Day [Projected]
- TBA 2015 Summer Reading Workshop: **NEW DATE!** TBA
- TBA 2014 Directors' Retreat I: **Late September date TBA**

October ~ National Book Month / National Information Literacy Awareness Month / Family History Month

- 1 **Submit Motor Vehicle & Watercraft TAX RATES to Revenue Cabinet**
- 1 DLG Online Portal opens to the public
- 3-5 National Storytelling Festival ~ Jonesborough, TN
- 12-18 Teen Read Week ~ Seek the Unknown@ your library
- 13 Columbus Day Holiday Observed
- 16-18 KY Reading Association Conference ~ Louisville, KY
- 19-25 National Friends of Libraries Week
- 29-31 ABOS Conference ~ Bahia Resort, San Diego, CA
- 31 **Annual Summations for Regions 3 and 4**
- TBA 2014 Directors' Retreat II: **Late October date TBA**

November ~ American Indian & Alaskan Native Heritage Month / Family Stories Month / National Novel Writing Month / Picture Book Month

- 1 National Family Literacy Day
- 1 OKI Children's Literature Conference ~ Crestview Hills, KY
- 5-8 LITA Forum: Transformation: From Node to Network ~ Albuquerque, NM
- 7-8 Kentucky Storytelling Conference ~ Bowling Green, KY
- 11 Veterans Day Holiday Observed – KDLA Closed
- 14-15 Kentucky Book Fair ~ Frankfort, KY
- 27-28 Thanksgiving Holiday – KDLA Closed
- 29 National Day of Listening

December ~ Spiritual Literacy Month / Read a New Book Month

- 24 Christmas Holiday – KDLA Closed
- 25 Christmas Day – KDLA Closed
- 31 New Year's Eve